Villa Cafaggio 'Basilica del Cortaccio'

Domein: Villa Cafaggio
Product Code: PIT0055



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Omschrijving:

Grote krachtige rode Toscaanse wijn. Zeer donker van kleur met een intens gebloemd en fruitig karakter van frambozen en braambessen. Volle afdronk met stevige tannines. Bewaarwijn. Op dronk na 2009. Vineyard area: In 1986, 4.000 Cabernet Sauvignon vines were grafted onto 22 year old Canaiolo rootstocks at the Villa Cafaggio estate. Further plantings were made in 1991 and 1995. Grapes for Cortaccio are grown in 3 vineyards, making a total of 3 ha on the 40 ha Panzano estate. To achieve the ideal yield of no more than 1kg per individual vine, crop thinning (green harvest) takes place in August. Harvest: The Cabernet Sauvignon grapes are the last to be picked at Cafaggio, and are left to mature on the vines until the second half (sometimes the end) of October. They are checked daily in order to pick at the absolute peak of maturity. Vinification: The grapes are de-stemmed and soft crushed, giving best colour extraction and softer tannins. Frequent delestage takes place at the beginning of fermentation. The gentlest of remontage is then carried out for short periods throughout the latter part of fermentation in order to achieve best extraction. Fermentation takes place in temperature controlled conditions in stainless steel for 8-10 days at 30°C for 24-36 hours, then lowered to 26-27°C, giving optimum colour extraction and softer tannins. The juice remains on the skins for 3 weeks. Micro-oxygenation is used at several different stages throughout vinification. Malolactic fermentation is carried out in new French oak barriques. Ageing: The wine is aged for approximately 18 months in 100% new 2.25l French oak barriques (Allier and Troncais oak made in France), after which it spends at least 6 months in bottle before release. Production: Total production is limited to 15.000 bottles.

Eigenschappen:

Algemeen	
Land	Italië
Streek	Toscane
Domein	Villa Cafaggio
Druif	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Inhoud	75 cl
Smaak	robuust,krachtig, geconcentreerd
Lekker bij	wild,vleesgerechten, pasta's

Algemeen	
Alcohol percentage	14%
Bewaartijd	10 à 15 jaar
Serveer temperatuur	16-18° C
Jaar	2016
Wijn	rood